

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS


In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 19, 2006, the Applicant elects Group I, claims 1–17, drawn to a gearbox, classified in class 74, subclass 606R. Claims 18–20 have been withdrawn without prejudice to the filing of a divisional application.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 that may be due on this application to Deposit Account 17-0055. The Commissioner is also authorized to treat this amendment and any future reply in this matter requiring a petition for an extension of time as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time as provided by 37 CFR § 136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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